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BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20268-0001

Docket No. R2000-1

Postal Rate and Fee Changes, 2000

SECOND INTERROGATORIES OF ALLIANCE OF NONPROFIT MAILERS TO USPS WITNESS TAUFIQUE (ANM/USPS-T38-7)

The Alliance of Nonprofit Mailers ("ANM") respectfully submits the attached interrogatory to USPS witness Altaf H. Taufique (USPS-T-38). ANM incorporates by reference the instructions in OCA interrogatories OCA/USPS-1-14 (filed Jan. 24, 2000).

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

ANM/USPS-T38-7. Note 1 to Schedule 421 of the Postal Service's proposed rates (USPS Request, Attachment B at 27) states that the rates in Schedule 421

also apply to Nonprofit . . . and Classroom . . . rate categories. These categories receive a 5 percent discount on all components of postage except advertising pounds. Moreover, the 5 percent discount does not apply to commingled nonsubscriber, nonrequester, complimentary, and sample copies in excess of the 10 percent allowance under DMCS sections 412.34 and 413.42, or to Science of Agriculture mail.

- (a) Please confirm that the individual rates shown in proposed Rate Schedule 421 (USPS Request, Attachment B at 25-26) do not reflect the 5 percent discount. If you do not confirm, explain fully.
- (b) Please produce a table, in the same format as Rate Schedule 421, showing the specific rates proposed by the Postal Service for nonprofit periodical mail.

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